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## TELEGRAPHIC.

**WINNIPEG, Jan. 2.**  
Storia's death sentence has been commuted.  
Hon. R. P. P. Cross, of British Columbia, has been knighted.  
Another war with the Boers in South Africa seems imminent.  
Truth, of London, defends President Cleveland's attitude on the Monroe doctrine.  
Ontario was visited by a severe wind storm on New Year's day, causing much damage.  
Alfred Austin has been appointed poet laureate, of England, in succession to Lord Tennyson.  
F. H. Lyons, a resident of Winnipeg, was killed at Kamloops by the train on New Year's eve.  
The dead body of Ed Fish, a stock broker of Liverpool, was found in the tunnel of the Mersey railroad.  
Sir Wm. Hingston, late unsuccessful candidate in Montreal Centre, has been appointed to the senate.  
J. H. Stephen, city attorney of New Prague, Minn., was killed on the line and died yesterday morning.  
Dominion parliament opens to-day. The speech from the throne promises remedial legislation, but does not indicate the character thereof.  
J. F. Hughes, grand master of the Orange order of Ontario, urges orangers to be wary of inscriptions in connection with the school question.  
A special train on the Denver and Rio Grande railway was wrecked at Watte, near Leadville. The engineer, fireman and several others were killed.  
The bye-election in Jacques Cartier, Quebec, on Monday resulted in the return of Charbonneau, liberal, over Desjardins, conservative, by a majority of 576. This constituency was conservative ever since confederation.

## TODAY'S TRAIN.

**CALGARY, Jan. 2.**  
Car groceries for C. F. & J. Galt, car flour for H. B. Co., car sundries for various parties.

## VANCOUVER MARKETS.

Specialty reported for the BULLETIN by Osmond Skene & Co., general commission merchants.  
Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 2, '96.  
British Columbia wholesale quotations: Quotations same as last week, butter down two cents.  
Wheat, \$2.00 per ton; oats, \$1.80; potatoes, \$0.00; dressed beef, 5c. to 6c. per pound; pork, 5c.; mutton, 7c.; Australian mutton, 6c.; dairy butter, 2c.; creamery butter, 2 1/2c.; pickled eggs, 20c.; fresh eggs, 30c.

## LOCAL.

**HAPPY NEW YEAR.**  
Parliament meets to-day.  
Public school opens Monday.  
Live hogs are still coming in briskly.  
Municipal nominations on Monday next.  
New Year's day was the coldest of the season.  
1895 closed with a moderately sized snow storm.  
The Salvation army held a watchlight service on New Year's eve.  
Miss Miller arrived from Brandon, Man., on Thursday's train to take charge of the school at Victoria.  
J. A. DEX, of the Methodist mission at Victoria, arrived on Tuesday, on a holiday visit to his brother, Rev. G. W. Dean.  
TENDERS are asked for carrying the mail four times a week between Edmonton and South Edmonton from April 1st. Tenders to be in at Ottawa at noon on Feb. 14th.  
A RAFFLE of two gold watches at the Queen's on New Year's eve resulted in W. Sutter taking with a high throw of 46 and Corcoran John Kelly taking the other with a low throw of 21.  
MR. BENZ, of Watakwini, was in town on Tuesday negotiating for the purchase of an engine and boiler from John Kelly. Mr. Benz is putting up a grist mill at Frank Benz place at the crossing of the Big stone creek by the Calgary trail. He will use water power in summer and steam in winter or when the water is low. He expects to grind for the settlers of Watakwini and Ledue, south and north of his mill site.  
H. E. CARSTEN, of the immigration department, Winnipeg, arrived on Monday from Watakwini, where he has been examining into the cases of some of the settlers of that district whose crops were partially destroyed by frost last season. Relief has been granted in some cases. Mr. Carsten will visit all the new settlements in the Edmonton district and report on the condition of the settlers. He has no authority to consider the matter of the supply of seed grain, which is needed in some of the settlements.  
THE BULLETIN regrets to record the death of Mrs. J. A. Carson, of the Sturgeon river settlement, which occurred about five o'clock on New Year's morning. The deceased was the second daughter of Mr. C. O. Maxfield, of the Sturgeon settlement, and had only been married about a year. The funeral takes place this afternoon at the Sturgeon cemetery. The bereaved husband and friends have the sympathy of the community in the untimely loss of one who was in every way so exceptionally fitted to be a help and blessing to all around her. She leaves an infant child.  
Lieutenant-Governor Macintosh was given a banquet in Mooseomin on the occasion of his temporarily leaving the Territories on December 19th. In reply to the toast of his health, he spoke at great length on the Territorial exhibition, but did not throw any light on how the alleged discrepancy between assets and liabilities was to be met. He intimated, however, that "only a few small claims under dispute" had been reserved from payment. If this is true the Regina Leader is a deliberate and malicious falsifier; and if the Leader is correct in its statements, His Honor certainly is not. A very definite explanation is due from the Leader on this point.

BISHOP GROGAN leaves for Lesser Slave lake by dog train to-day.

A. J. STELLING, Presbyterian missionary at Beaver lake, in 1902.

SUBSIDIARY party at A. R. Chisholm's, St. Albert road on Monday night.

G. E. GODARD took a small shipment of live hogs to Calgary with his cattle last week.

R. A. RUTAN, land agent at Edmonton, spent Christmas in Calgary and returned on Monday.

THE masquerade carnival at the Thistle that has been postponed until Monday evening next.

SERVICE was held in St. Joachim's church on New Year's day, the feast of the circumcision.

It is understood that M. McCauley, ex-mayor of Edmonton, will offer for election as councillor.

T. A. STEPHEN, manager of the Edmonton Pork Packing Company, paid a Christmas visit to Calgary.

The children of St. Joachim's congregation were given their Christmas treat on Monday afternoon last.

WATCH night service was held in the Methodist church on New Year's eve, presided over by the pastor, Rev. G. W. Dean.

WHITE fish and pickled from Pigeon Lake were offered in town on Tuesday.

The price was 10 cents each, which is cheap food.

CHUCKER shooting has been contrary to the ordinance made and provided since December 15th. Deer shooting is prohibited after Feb. 1st.

THOS. HUMBERSTONE, of York township, York county, Ont., whose death was mentioned in the last issue of the BULLETIN, was the father of Wm. Humberstone, of Edmonton.

The results of the recent bye-elections may stampede the government to such an extent as to cause them to dissolve parliament immediately, and bring on the elections.

G. E. GODARD recently purchased 100 head of one and two year old cattle in the Edmonton district and shipped them south to his ranch near Calgary. He will return shortly for another bunch.

MR. BALL and nephew, the celebrated Jubilee singers, will give an entertainment, consisting of jubilee songs, plantation melodies, and lime light views of the South, in Robertson hall, Tuesday, Jan. 7th.

GRAIN has been coming in briskly. Fifteen cents is the standard cash price for feed oats, and 17c for seed, although as high as 22c has been paid for some very choice seed. Sixteen to 18 cents is paid if part is taken in trade.

AN indigent German, whose mind is not altogether clear, is in town, living as best he may in the daytime and sleeping in stable lofts at night. This is a case which should be attended to either by the mounted police or the town authorities, both on the ground of charity and public safety.

FULLY 1,000 head of cattle have been shipped from the Edmonton district during the past season. Unfortunately the bulk of them were under three years old and consequently the value realized was not as high as the numbers would indicate, but would probably aggregate \$20,000.

T. G. PEARCE, of Agricola, raised an acre and a half of peas last season, which gave a satisfactory return. If peas are found to be a successful crop in this district a great boon will be given the hog raising industry here. Peas make the best pork. Farmers should experiment in them more generally.

The Prince Albert Times in justifying the recent deal in police oats at Prince Albert makes clear that the government pays Brandon men 32 cents a bushel for 5,000 bushels of oats, which were offered by a local tenderer at 30 cents. The Times, however, does not make its comparison with the lowest, but with the highest tender, and thereby shows a saving of between \$400 and \$500. It adds that some of the Prince Albert liverymen are feeding Brandon oats, as the local oats are indifferent and too dear.

THOS. ANDERSON, lately Dominion land agent at Edmonton, is in Ottawa on Tuesday's train. Rumor says as a delegate from South Edmonton to protest against the grant asked for the railway and traffic bridge across the Saskatchewan, and also against the lower or No. 2 site. It is more likely, however, that Mr. Anderson has gone to secure a settlement of a little matter that is in dispute between the interior department and himself, in which it would appear that he has been very harshly used.

W. BLOSS, of Beaver lake, came in on Tuesday by the Cooking lake trail across the Beaver hills. He says that there is a good deal of travel across the hills this winter by way of Hastings and Cooking lakes. Messrs. Rowland, Pruden and Gladu have winter cattle ranches at each end of the trail on Cooking lake. These ranches help to keep the road broken across the hills and cause it to follow the lakes. Cattle feeding began at Beaver lake about the 7th of December. Notwithstanding the fires Mr. Bloss thinks there will be enough hay at the lake to winter all the cattle. He was the chief loser and was compelled to put his cattle out amongst other more fortunate ranchers.

A PETITION asking the council to submit a by-law to raise money to take \$50,000 in shares in the Edmonton district railway company is being circulated at the instance of the town council. Geo. Porches has the petition in charge and a large number of signatures are being secured. A number of citizens refuse to sign on the ground that the vote would be premature. They say if the arrangements by which the town is to protect its interests in this railway matter are to be made subject to the money grant, let the charter be passed and the company organized so that a binding business arrangement can be made with them, before the money is voted. A short explanation as to the necessity of voting the money to the company before the company is organized would certainly seem to be in order.

Train left Calgary at 3:30.

H. C. TAYLOR will occupy the rooms over the post office as a law office.

Tuesday's train took out one car of oats to Cochrane, two cars coal Otokowan to Calgary, and one way car.

D. MCGILL arrived to-day from Limestone lake with 40 head of young cattle, which he has sold to R. McKernan for shipment south.

P. REILLY and A. Coghlan came in from Fort Assiniboine, where they have been trapping, on Friday. They report that rabbits were numerous along the Athabasca and game consequently very careless about bait. Coss foxes are unusually numerous. Several other parties are trapping along the Athabasca and below Fort Assiniboine, and are doing their share to keep down the game.

The annual treat of the children of the Methodist Sunday school was given in the vestry of the church on New Year's eve. The children and teachers assembled at about 7:30, when refreshments were served. Rev. G. W. Dean, pastor of the church, then gave a short address followed by a recitation exhibition of a number of views from the world's fair, Pacific coast, the Rocky Mountains, etc.

The following officers were elected for Court Edmonton No. 1346: T. O. F., on Monday evening: C. D. R. C. Rober, Hookley; C. R. Wm. Short; V. C. R. E. Grierson; R. S. H. C. Taylor; F. S. R. Foster; Treas. W. T. Henry; Chap. A. H. Haines; S. W. D. Stewart; J. W. H. Woodward; S. B. D. Collins; J. B. W. Carscadden; Trustees, P. Umack and J. Little; Finance Committee, N. G. Flater, R. Yaudin.

A MIDWINTER service was held in the Presbyterian church on New Year's eve. Members of the congregation assembled at about ten o'clock. Refreshments were served and some time spent in social intercourse. The service was begun at eleven o'clock by the reading of a chapter of the scriptures by the pastor, Rev. D. C. MacQueen. A song service by the choir followed, and a reading by the pastor, relating Old country customs at New Year.

ON New Year's night at the Queen's a valuable silver watch belonging to Frank Lafortune, of Beaver lake, was raffled. J. H. Picard, for whom John Kelly threw, and Joseph Brunelle bid at 45. Kelly then bought Brunelle's throw for \$10 and Brunelle gave the money to Lafortune. Mr. Lafortune was burned out by the prairie fires at Beaver lake and is in poor circumstances. The watch is a very expensive one being silver inlaid with gold. The movements show the seconds, minutes and hours, days of the week and of the month and the changes of the moon.

## RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the Edmonton rifle association was held in the skating rink on Tuesday evening, the president, Dr. Braithwaite, in the chair. It was decided to purchase three Morris rifles and 5,000 rounds of ammunition. The ammunition and one rifle have arrived. Mr. Graham of the rifle shooting gallery in the skating rink at 50c per member was accepted. Dr. Braithwaite, M. McCauley and J. R. Turnbull were appointed a committee to arrange practice nights. Tuesday, Jan. 7th, was fixed as the first practice night and the committee were instructed to report on that night.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.  
A currier mail. Apply at 19th MRS. COWIE'S, Cliffe Street.

NOTICE.  
The first quarterly meeting of the Edmonton Old Times' Association will be held on Saturday, the 4th inst., at 8 p. m. in Robertson's hall. A full attendance is requested.  
A. MCNICOL, Secretary.

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At the inauguration of this new scheme we will offer our entire stock of Winter Goods, comprising the latest styles in

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All our goods are marked in plain figures, so you will see just what you are paying for them. Hereafter you will find our prices lower than they have ever been, as we will be in a position to give you better value in all lines.

Come and see what we can give you for a dollar.

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To assist in a practical way

in making this a happy

Xmas to my numerous cus-

tomers, I have decided to

offer for the two days pre-

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Years a special discount of

20 per cent. for cash on all

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three insertions and under \$1, or 10 cents a line last  
insertion and 5 cents a line each week part of week  
after.  
Standing advertisement—50 cts a line for 3 months.  
**FRANK CLAYTON, PROPRIETOR.**  
EDMONTON BULLETIN, JANUARY 22nd, 1906.

### AS TO WAR.

War is the chief talk in the papers in the United States; in Britain and in Canada. It is all about the doctrine of "America for the Yankees"—and Canada is the greatest possible infraction of that doctrine. Therefore, although the argument is about a few square miles of land—or more properly swamp—in South America, Canada is the point at issue, the question really in dispute, and 'would be the battle ground—except in so far as the battle ground might be shifted south of the line. Canada does not want war, nor yearn to be a battle ground, but unfortunately is not in a position to save itself. It is between the upper and the nether millstones, so to speak, and it is better that it should form a part of one or the other than be ground to powder between them. If war comes Canada must fight. The better the service Canada can render the Empire in case of war the shorter the war will be; and the sooner and better Canada is prepared for war the less likely there is to be war. The idea that Canada is disloyal or defenceless is what breeds the war feeling so strongly in the States. The more quickly and more thoroughly the United States is given to know that Canada is thoroughly loyal to Britain and ready and willing to fight in support of the cause of the Empire, the less the States will want war. The Canadian who for good or bad reasons hints at even a desire for peace at the present juncture is doing his country the worst possible service, and his very best to bring on war. The business like offer of the Montreal Star to arm a regiment and support the relatives of the men will have more effect in the cause of peace than ten thousand peace at any price sermons, no matter by whom delivered. Admitting that we are all cowards, cowardice in this case is no protection.

### THE BYE-ELECTIONS.

The result of the bye-elections as far as they have gone have been disastrous to the conservative government. All four constituencies were carried for the government at the elections of '91. Under ordinary circumstances a change of front at a bye-election against a government in power is very rare. The fact that three out of the four constituencies have changed front and that the fourth is only retained by a minority vote, in spite of every effort and argument that could be put forth, shows that the circumstances are not ordinary, that in fact a change has come over public opinion; a change which can only be expected to show itself more prominently at the approaching general elections. It cannot be said that the school question is the cause of the change, for if that was the cause of the government's loss of Cardwell it certainly does not account for its loss of Montreal Centre and Jacques Cartier, nor the majority against it in North Ontario. The real cause is that the country has outgrown the conservative party. New questions have arisen and new problems require to be dealt with. The conservative party, true once more to its name, has been living on its past record for a number of years—on what it did, or claimed to have done, when it was essentially the party of action and was conservative only in name. The party leaders have taken to looking backward so much that they have come to walk backward, and that is why they cannot see and therefore cannot deal with the burning questions which lie along the path of the country's progress. Admitting—for the sake of argument—that the protective policy, the railway policy and the school policy of the government were right and in the best interests of the country at one time; there is no question that the evils of combines and monopolies and disunion have grown out of those policies. It is as much the duty of the party in power now to cure these evils as it may have been its duty at one time to inaugurate the several policies out of which they grew. They are not attempting to cure the evils as a means of holding the confidence of the electors, but rely on throwing mud at their opponents of twenty years ago as a means of retaining that confidence. And the electors have expressed their disapproval of their course at these bye-elections. In a different way, in different constituencies; but a disapproval all the more marked on

that account. For while it is impossible for any man or government to please everybody it is a poor man or government indeed that cannot please anybody.

As far as can be gathered the position of the town council in regard to the railway charter is that taken by the town solicitor; namely that while the necessity of protecting the town's interests in the matter of time limit, location, rates and service, is admitted, the ground is taken that the proper time to do that is when the financial arrangements come to be made with the company. On this point it must be understood that when the mayor and councillors undertake to protect the interests of the town in these matters they assume a very grave responsibility for which they must expect to be held to strict account in the future; a responsibility which they did not need to assume—and which it would be far better for the town if they did not.

### CARDWELL.

The vote by townships in Cardwell was as follows:

	McCarthy.	Willoughby.	Henry.
Adjala,	201	127	102
Albion,	340	267	81
Caledon,	469	403	263
Monro,	415	428	30
Bolton Village,	78	73	8
	1,403	1,298	544

At the previous election R. S. White, conservative, had a majority of 348 over Meyers, liberal. At the election before that, White, conservative, had a majority of 403 over Newlove, liberal.

The religious and political complexion of the several townships was: Adjala, Catholic; evenly divided between liberal and conservative. Monro, Albion and Bolton village which is in Albion, Orange conservative, Caledon, Scotch liberal.

### TOWN COUNCIL.

MONDAY, Dec. 30.

Letters from the department of public works and the minister of interior respecting the Edmonton district railway company were filed. A. Dando was informed by letter that his taxes could not be reduced. Remission of taxes on the English church was refused. H. H. Robertson's claim of incorrect frontage tax was referred to the board of works. Mrs. Haworth was informed by letter that her taxes could not be reduced. All firemen in good standing were remitted \$2.00 of their current year's taxes. Strang and Edmonston moved, that owing to numerous ratepayers having only been served with their tax notices within the past few days, this council extend the term of payment on which the rebate of ten per cent, is allowed to the 31st Jan., 1906, and that by-law No. 108 be amended accordingly. By-law 110, to amend 105, was read three times and passed. The license committee reported that they had been unable to secure evidence to convict the parties in question. The mayor reported that Mr. Purches had been appointed to circulate the petition asking the council to place a by-law before the ratepayers for the purpose of issuing debentures for \$50,000 for the taking of shares in the Edmonston district railway company. Cameron—Strang moved that it is the intention of this council that the expenditures made for the bonus to the Edmonston general hospital and for the following public works shall be raised by debentures extending over a period of ten years:

Hospital bonus,	\$1,000.00
Grading Jasper avenue,	209.13
Survey of College avenue,	30.00
Grading 2nd st. et. H. B. Reserve,	250.25
Hospital sidewalk Victoria avenue,	185.79
Grading 11th street, H. B. Reserve,	88.75
	\$1,763.92

The finance committee recommended payment of the following accounts:

Ross Bros.,	\$14.92
Salaries to end of year,	495.00
G. H. Graydon, health and relief,	15
S. Larue, coal boxes,	2.25
Garipey & Chenier, health and relief,	1.60
S. Moran, coal,	5.00
E. A. Cameron, lumber,	4.80
W. S. Robertson, rent of hall,	15.00
W. D. Macdonald, carriage,	1.50
J. Milner, coal accounts,	3.40
Jas. McDonald's account,	12.00
A. G. Randall, extra work on assessment roll,	75.00
Sinking fund, due Dec. 31st,	2,649.38
G. R. F. Kirkpatrick, for amount overpaid dinner,	3.00
St. Geo. Jellett, to clear amount short collected from T. W. Lines,	3.22
St. Geo. Jellett, to apply on poll tax of Alex. Harper,	2.00
N. D. Beck, witness fees,	23.00

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Xmas Candy Boxes.  
Walnuts, Peanuts, Almonds, Buttertarts, Filberts and Brazil, Bon-bons, Pop Corn. This season's Jolly Mince, Maple and Icing Sugars, Cigars and Cigarettes.

Wishing all a very joyful Xmas.

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Near the Electric Light Station, Edmonton.

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### LACOMBE.

#### Dissolution of Partnership.

This is to certify that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business under the style and firm of Morris & Co., has this second day of December, A. D. 1905, been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this second day of December, A. D. 1905.  
Signed in the presence of:  
P. TAYLOR, J. P. CHAS. E. MORRIS.  
M. J. MACLEOD.

#### NOTICE.

The above business will hereafter be carried on at the old stand by the undersigned, who takes this opportunity of thanking the public for past favors and of soliciting a continuance of the same.

M. J. MACLEOD,  
Lacombe.

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Only a limited number can be got out at best. Call early if you want the gem of the season.  
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The Largest Fire Office in the World, has established a direct agency at Edmonton where all business of a general office is transacted.

Transfers, etc., consented to. Losses equitably adjusted and promptly paid. Absolute security. Unlimited liability.

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## OPENING ... Announcement

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We beg to announce that we have opened up our new Grocery business in Turnbull & McAdam's old stand, Jasper Avenue and are prepared to supply all orders on the shortest notice.

#### Christmas Orders a Specialty.

Free delivery to any part of town.  
Strictly cash Sales. Small profits and quick returns.

## Sale, Sale, Sale!

The Great Cost Sale still going on at

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Everything at Cost  
and even less to clear, as we must positively get rid of our stock, which is the nearest, richest and best in town. We want to be able to leave here as soon as possible. Hence our special offer.

Dolls at cost. Xmas Cards at cost. Toys at cost.  
Fancy Goods at cost. Stationery at cost.  
Fruit Boxes at cost. Photo Frames at cost.  
Chinaware at cost. Everything at cost.

Come and see what you can buy for two bits at the

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Strong, serviceable and stylish, at lowest prices ever offered in the district.  
We do not need to blow our own horn, our stock speaks for itself. Call and inspect.

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WALTER & CROCKART  
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Groceries and Provisions,  
Wines, Spirits and Cigars,  
Crockery and Glassware.

Of these we carry a complete and varied assortment, carefully selected, to cover all known and anticipated requirements of the district, and besides we are always prepared, through our wide-spread connections and exceptional facilities, to place any unusual order to the best advantage.

The advantages we offer are:

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Special attention is given to orders by mail. When inconvenient to make your purchases personally, write us, giving a full description of goods wanted, and prompt delivery will be made in accordance with your instructions. You will effect as good a bargain thus as you would personally. Cash should accompany all orders for shipment by mail, but express parcels may be C. O. D.

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FRUIT CAKES. PLAIN CAKES. PLUM CAKES.  
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BLANKETS, SHEETING, QUILTS, TABLE LINEN, Art Muslins, Cretonnes, Etc., Etc.

## Fancy and Xmas Goods

Ample provision has also been made for the approaching festive season. In Xmas and Fancy Goods will be found one of the finest assortments in the city.

Since its establishment in 1886, the Manchester House has, by general acclamation, been recognized as the store at which the best values in the city could be obtained, and since adopting the Ready Cash System, this its distinguishing feature, is to an even greater extent patent to all impartial observers, as by its means I am enabled to sell all goods handled by me at Montreal prices, adding only a slight percentage to cover freight.

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## SCHOOL MEETING.

A special meeting of the trustees of Edmonton public school district was held last Friday afternoon in the secretary's office. M. McCauley was appointed a committee to see to the cleaning out of the new school building and placing the pupils' desks in time for the opening after the holidays. McCauley-Cameron moved that W. Short's account for \$21 in fees for services in connection with transfer of new school site be paid, and also December salaries. A communication was received from the Edmonton Herald making a complaint against the secretary. Cameron-Bellamy moved that the secretary be notified by the Herald in writing, informing it of the days of the regular meetings of the board and that the minutes of all meetings are to be seen at the secretary's office. That the notices of the annual meeting required by law have been duly posted up. That when convenient to the secretary he may notify the Herald of special meetings, and that while the trustees are the servants of the ratepayers the secretary is under their instructions only. It was decided that the rooms in the new school house be occupied as follows: Upper flat, principal, west; first assistant, east; lower flat, second assistant, east; primary, west. Mr. Cameron was appointed a committee to purchase the necessary blinds for the school building. McCauley-Bellamy. That the school open on Monday, Jan. 6th. McCauley-Bellamy. That the secretary tender the thanks of the trustees to the teachers for the successful entertainment of Thursday evening. Bellamy-McCauley. That if the principal does not return before the opening of the school Miss Martin be engaged to conduct the department until his return.

## FREIGHT RATES.

A merchant at Maple Creek writes the Winnipeg Commercial that he bought a car load of feed stuff at Wolsley, Ass., for \$180 which included \$29.80 worth of sacks and paid freight on it \$100.20. The Commercial says: Our correspondent, Mr. Claxton, is right in regard to the charge, which on looking up the tariff we see is 20 cents per 100 pounds from Wolsley to Maple Creek. This is based on the local mileage tariff in the Territories on the class of goods named by Mr. Claxton. The rate certainly does seem high, and we may say that it is vastly higher than the rate charged in the settled portion of Manitoba and the Territories, where the rate for about the same distance would be 12 1/2 cents per 100, the rates being much higher in the unsettled country west of Moosejaw. This part of the road produces very little local traffic, and consequently the local rates are very high, in keeping with the general policy of the railways. While the railway company does not make very much on its local traffic, even at these high rates, in the district in question, owing to the limited traffic obtainable, it will still appear to the public that the rate is high especially when compared with the rate on the same class of goods from Wolsley eastward. The rate from Wolsley to Fort William, more than double the distance, is only 22 cents per 100 pounds. The difference is that one is an export and the other a local rate. It seems, however, to be the general policy of all railways to charge high on local rates, as compared with through rates, and this policy is apparently concurred in by the government.

## MANITOBA ELECTIONS.

The following paragraph from Mr. Greenway's address to the electors of the constituency which he represents in the Manitoba legislature sets forth the position which he takes on the school question in the approaching election.

"The menacing attitude assumed by the Dominion government with regard to legislation of the province has made it necessary to take the sense of the electors upon the question thus forced upon them.

"I assert that our people are perfectly competent to deal with their own educational concerns, and I resent the imputation that they have treated any portion of the community with injustice or a spirit of intolerance. I protest against the proposed action of the Dominion government in invading parliament to destroy our national school system without investigation and in ignorance of the circumstances.

"If your votes are overwhelmingly in favor of the stand taken by the government, there is no doubt that the views of the members of the Dominion parliament will be materially affected thereby, and coercive legislation may be altogether averted."

Nominations take place on January 8, and the polling on January 15. The writs are returnable on January 23, and the house is called for January 24.

## GENERAL NEWS.

Calgary Tribune: While our preambulating lieutenant-governor is singing his own praises in the eastern press, the Regina town council is passing resolutions requesting him to furnish a detailed statement of the \$10,000 grant given by it to the Territorial fair.

The Winnipeg Commercial's Vancouver correspondent says that oats are selling abundantly and quote them at \$16 a ton. Wheat is rising in Washington State and is worth \$24.50 per ton in Vancouver. Dairy butter 18c to 20c. Creamery butter 27c to 29c. Eggs fresh 35c, eastern 22c.

The Regina Leader under the heading "No government is omnipotent," informs its readers that the present hard times are due to their own actions and are not the fault of the government. Indeed that the government is powerless to prevent them. It is well to have this point down flat. When the protective policy was inaugurated it was practically claimed that the government was omnipotent and that those who held the contrary were no better than flies on the wheel. If it is conceded that the protective policy cannot prevent hard times, it carried the country under false pretences, and is now as discredited, even by its friends.

Calgary Tribune on the prospect of war between Britain and the United States: "If there be war, Canada is likely to be the battle-ground, as she always has been. The immediate consequences will be unpleasant for us; but we have suffered casualties for the Empire before, and are prepared to do so again. We will give good account of ourselves, and incidentally endeavor to clear off some of the many old scores we have outstanding with our big, bullying southern

neighbor. The ultimate results of such a conflict will be of immense benefit to the national life and the material interests of the Dominion. But while ready to play our part in the struggle like men, and while confident that it will eventually in greater good than ill for us, we cannot but hope that the sober sense of both nations will render an appeal to arms unnecessary.

The Free Press thinks that the elections about to be held in Manitoba will increase Greenway's majority. The Tribune publishes a prediction that Greenway will capture 37 out of the 40 constituencies.

Calgary Tribune: When the Herald attacked Sir John Schultz it surely could not have heard the rumor that Sir John and Mr. Duncan McArthur are going to start a bank at Edmonton.

## NOTICE OF Dissolution of Partnership.

To all whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between John G. Gordon, of Manawatu, Alberta, and John A. Mitchell, of Regina, Assiniboia, under the firm name and style of Gordon & Mitchell, and for the purpose of carrying on the business of ranching at Manawatu, aforesaid, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business is continued by the undersigned under the firm name and style of Mitchell & Co., by whom all claims against the original partnership will be received.

Dated at Regina, Assn., this 11th day of December, A. D. 1903.

[Signed] JOHN A. MITCHELL.

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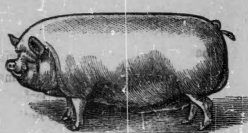
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HIGHEST MARKET PRICES PAID.

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## Jumpers

From \$8.00 to \$12.00, complete.

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New Fall Goods have arrived

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## NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next Session of the Parliament of Canada for an Act to incorporate the Edmonton District Railway Company, with power to construct, operate and maintain Railways from the Town of Edmonton, in the District of Alberta, Northwest Territories, Canada: (a) Southwesterly to connect with the Calgary and Edmonton Railway; (b) Northwesterly to a point on the Athabasca river at or near Fort Assiniboine, with a branch to its my Plains; (c) Easterly to or near Fort Saskatchewan, with a branch to Sturgeon river. Also to acquire and operate ferries across and streamers and other craft upon the Saskatchewan, Pembina and Athabasca rivers and water contiguous thereto; to acquire and operate Coal Mines, Stone Quarries, Oil Wells, Gold and other Mines, and to generate and sell or lease Electric Energy for power, light or heat, and to acquire or construct and operate water-powers and irrigation works, all within the District of Alberta, with all the proper or usual powers given or granted to Companies incorporated for any of the purposes aforesaid.

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(NOT THE MICE)

BUT THE PEOPLE  
Of Edmonton with their money in their fist to the

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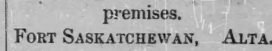
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## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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Alberta—R. A. Ruttan, T. A. Stephen, Calgary; E. Coler, C. F. Stewart, Fort Saskatchewan; Geo. T. Hubbard, St. Albert; E. McBride, Red Deer; Geo. W. McBride, Calgary; C. F. Stewart, Fort Saskatchewan; Dan Brox, Stony Plain; W. Brunelle, South Edmonton; H. Muller, H. Bromm, Spruce Grove.

## NAMAIO.

Rev. Mr. Goodwin, of South Edmonton, preached in the Methodist church here yesterday.

Mr. Briggs, of Poplar Lake, will take charge of the service on the 12th prox., and Rev. G. W. Dean, of Edmonton, will be present on the 26th prox., after which it is expected Rev. Mr. Taylor will be back from Ontario.

The Ball singers and entertainers are billed to appear at the Methodist church at this place on the evening of Wednesday, Jan. 8th.

Dec. 30th, 1895.

## POPULAR LAKE.

A very successful entertainment was given to the children of this district on Xmas eve, in the new school house. After an excellent tea was served a lengthy programme of singing, music on the violin and organ, readings, recitations and speeches, a very enjoyable evening ended by Santa Claus distributing the presents with which two large Xmas trees were loaded down. There was about 200 people present, quite a number having come all the way from Edmonton. The school room was fairly crowded. Our next entertainment will be a social in aid of the Presbyterian church, which takes place on Friday the 10th of January.

## HOCKEY.

Two teams from the Thistles left on New Year's day to play matches away from home. The senior, comprising Messrs. Fulton, Grierson, Henry, Robertson, Cartier, Raymer and Flater, went to Fort Saskatchewan and played the police a championship match there. The game resulted in favor of the police 3 goals to 2. The Thistles complained several times to the referee, the Rev. Mr. D. Easum, of rough play, but apparently the referee could not see it, as Captain Fulton, after several of his team getting hurt, and being asked to do so, called his men off the ice. It is too bad if a good game like hockey, which is becoming very popular, and in this northern country where the sport can be played for a much longer season than in other parts, is to be spoiled by rough playing. It is in the interest of the game that in future a firm referee who will make both sides adhere strictly to the rules, be appointed. The Thistles cannot speak too highly of the gentlemanly way in which the police treated them off the ice, but do complain that they did not play hockey while on it.

The second team, composed of Messrs. McNamara, Shera, Harrison, Griehbach, Lauder, Jackson and Devlin, played the Shamrocks on their rink in South Edmonton, the game resulting in a draw, two goals being scored by each. Although it was the first match that either of the teams had played, some good hockey was shown on both sides, and with practice the next match with these teams will be interesting. The following composed the South Edmonton team: Messrs. J. Jack, J. McLaren, N. McLaren, W. Sherry, R. P. Pettipiece, W. Jackson, J. Blain, J. Garham was referee.

## GENERAL NEWS.

It is announced that parliament will not transact any business until Jan. 7th.

Sir Hibbert Tupper pledged the government definitely to remedial legislation in the Centre Montreal contest.

Five parties are represented in the West Huron bye-election, Conservatives, liberals, patrons, P. P. A. and true blues.

The Calgary Tribune does not seem to look unfavorably on the prospective candidates of Sir John Schultz for Alberta. A mail will leave Mississauga station on the C. P. R. north shore section for Moose factory on James Bay, on March 1st, '96.

## METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory, Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Max.	Min.
Monday, 30,	24	
Tuesday, 31,	14	8
Wednesday, 1,	-13	-14
Thursday, 2,		-25

Barometer reduced to sea level 30.840.

## Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership here before existing between Alex. McDonald and John Milner has been dissolved, and the mine will in future be carried on by John Milner.

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Lady teacher for Beaver Creek school district. Duties to commence Jan. 1st, '96. Apply stating certificate to THOS. McDERMOTT, Secretary, Fort Saskatchewan P. O.

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## TENDERS WANTED

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For the erection complete of a stone basement and brick dwelling house. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Edmondson & Pritchard, architects, on and after Monday, the 6th January, 1896.

## LOST

One black mare branded J4 on left shoulder O on left hip, weight about 1,200 pounds. Suitable reward will be given for information leading to their recovery. GEORGE VEESEY, Edmonton.

## STRAYED

Came to the premises of the subscriber during last summer a bay mare branded "D. C." on left shoulder. Owner to prove property, pay expenses and take away. JOHN HAROLD, Nemo P. O.

## STRAYED.

Came to the premises of the undersigned, Section 10-53-57, Stony Plain, in May last, one white steer, with red neck and white face, about four years old, no brand. Owner is requested to pay expenses and take away. JACOB SCHULTZ, Spruce Grove.

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## LARUE &amp; PICARD.

## LOST. \$15.00 REWARD.

Strayed from the Sturgeon settlement in July last the following described horses: One light brown gelding, two years old, extra heavy build, white hind feet, nose on heel of right front foot, small star to one side. One light mouse colored grey mare, two years old, raggy, built hollow in back, black points. One black gelding, one year old, heavy bone, white hind feet, large star. One black pony gelding, two years old, white hind feet, star and strip on nose running to one side. No brand. The above reward will be paid for information leading to their recovery.

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